



# **PUBLIC MEETING**

## **Review of Updated Preliminary Floodplain Maps and Studies and Map Adoption Procedures for Coos County**

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) will be hosting a public meeting to inform representatives of Coos County communities of the newly updated Flood Insurance Rate Maps. The adoption of these updated maps is a requirement for communities to stay enrolled in the National Flood Insurance Program.

The purpose of this public meeting is to give an overview of the new maps and what changed and didn't change, to discuss the map adoption process schedule, and to review the regulatory requirements and procedures communities must follow to adopt the new maps.

FEMA mailed letters dated May 26, 2011 to all Coos County communities announcing the release of the preliminary maps, which are available on New Hampshire's GRANIT web site at: [www.granit.unh.edu/dfirms/DFIRMS.html](http://www.granit.unh.edu/dfirms/DFIRMS.html). Copies of the maps will be available for viewing at these meetings.

Community officials including Selectmen, Building Inspectors, Code Enforcement Officers, Planning Board members, Zoning Board members, Conservation Commission members, and Town Administrators are encouraged to attend one of these meetings.

**July 21, 2011  
2:00 PM to 4:00 PM**

**West Milan Town Hall  
47 West Village Road  
Milan, NH**

**July 21, 2011  
6:00 PM to 8:00 PM**

**Lancaster Town Offices  
Auditorium  
25 Main Street  
Lancaster, NH**

### **Please RSVP to:**

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